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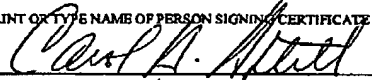
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Responsive to the Official Action dated February 2, 2006, please amend the specification and claims as detailed hereinafter and reconsider the claims in view of the arguments presented hereinafter.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper

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